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FM AMEMBASSY SAIGON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 2255

INFO AMEMBASSY CARACAS PRIORITY

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EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, VE, VS

SUBJECT: GVN DESIRE TO ESTABLISH EMBASSY IN CARACAS

REF: STATE 041988

1. BECAUSE GVN LACKS CONTACTS WITH VENEZUELA AND BECAUSE OF TIME FACTOR, WE URGE THAT DEPARTMENT AUTHORIZE EMBASSY CARACAS SEND US SOONEST ITS APPRAISAL OF PROSPECTS FOR GVN ESTABLISHING DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS WITH GOV AND TO GIVE ITS SUPPORT TO GVN APPROACH. GVN ALSO ANXIOUS FOR ADVICE ON WHETHER FOREIGN MINISTER BAC SHOULD PLAN VISIT CARACAS FOLLOWING ATTENDANCE AT MARCH 15 INAUGURATION CEREMONIES IN BRASILIA.

2. SINCE BAC LEAVES ON TRIP TO BRAZIL MARCH 8, WE NEED EMBASSY'S COMMENTS BY OPENING OF BUSINESS MARCH 7, SAIGON TIME.

3. GVN HAS OF COURSE NOTED WITH DEEP APPRECIATION THAT VENEZUELA VOTED WITH IT ON ISSUE OF "PRG" AT GENEVA LAW OF WAR CONFERENCE. MARTIN

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